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To the Chief Engineer and Members of the Victoria Fire Department.

The undersigned hereby tenders his hearty thanks to the department for the prompt manner in which they extinguished the fire opposite his premises on Johnson street last evening.

THOS. SHOTBOLT.
Victoria, April 21, 1889. 3t

AMUSEMENTS.

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ROYAL JUBILEE HOSPITAL

The Ceremony of the Laying of the Corner Stone

Is Attended With the Greatest Success—Speech of President T. R. Smith and Reply of Mrs. Nelson—A Most Pleasing Programme.

The successful event yesterday of laying the corner stone of the Royal Provincial Jubilee Hospital is a matter of congratulation to the whole community. The various incidents in the progress of the undertaking since the first meeting in the board of trade rooms in the early part of 1887 until now are fresh in the minds of our readers, and it is not necessary here to recount the difficulties and oppositian that had to be overcome in order to bring the scheme to its present gratifying stage. As is well known, the provincial government generously offered to subscribe $20,000 if a like sum was contributed by the public. It was prophesied that Victorians would not furnish the necessary amount, but this proved erroneous, and it is some time since the $20,000 were subscribed, and even a greater sum than that was secured. This was accomplished by persistent effort, and there is little doubt that any further sum that may be required will also be cheerfully provided. The Royal Hospital property on Pandora street is now in the hands of the committee for disposal, and it is expected that will add considerably to the funds of the Jubilee Hospital. The city of Victoria has not as yet donated a sum in aid of the hospital, but it is anticipated that a good amount will soon be voted for that purpose. Altogether the present position of the hospital fund is most cheering. and the greatest difficulties having been surmounted, it is reasonable to predict that all future contingencies will be met with like success.

And here, it is but just to pay a tribute to the energy and business ability of the President and Secretary, and the working committee of the organization. They have taken every precaution, made every exertion to secure a successful termination of the work, and have put their hands deep in their pockets in order to do so. It would perhaps be unfair to make any special mention of any particular number of that committee, but they and all others concerned will agree that too much praise cannot be bestowed upon the indefatigable honorary secretary, Mr. William M. Chudley. He was one of the first, if not the first, to propose that the memorial of the Queen's jubilee should take the form of a hospital, an institution that was very much needed in this city and province. Mr. Chudley was appointed secretary at the preliminary meeting, and he has carried on the work pertaining to that office ever since. Only those who know what has been done can fully appreciate the earnest labor and unselfish interest that the honorary secretary has bestowed upon the project. The arrangements of all general and committee meetings and everything else connected with the matter have been looked after by him, and the books and accounts carefully and faithfully kept. Of the pleasing and interesting ceremony yesterday it was his care to arrange the details, and to-day he can look back with a great deal of satisfaction to work well begun and well concluded. There is still much to accomplish, but the most important part of the undertaking is completed. However, there is no doubt the committee and its worthy president and secretary will not cease their labors until the Royal Jubilee Hospital is erected, furnished and well started on its career of charity and usefulness.

THE CEREMONY.

Easter Monday was fixed upon for the interesting ceremony of laying the corner stone. Owing to the unfavorable weather in the morning, however, it was thought best to postpone the ceremony until the day following, yesterday the 23d inst. The weather then was all that could be desired. It was neither too hot nor too cool; and while the clouds were a little dark for a time, their threatening aspect did not prevent upwards of 2,500 people from assembling promptly at the appointed hour to witness the laying of the stone.

From Cadboro Bay road the rising walls of the new hospital presented a pleasing picture, decorated as they were with bright bunting and the flags of all nations. Many visitors were on the scene an hour or more before the appointed time, anxious to avail themselves of the opportunity afforded of seeing how far the work had progressed, and of forming an idea for themselves of what the completed structure would be like. The site of the hospital is well-chosen. A few hundred yards back from Cadboro Bay road, standing on a fine elevation and commanding a view of the blue straits and the towering peak of old Mount Baker beyond, the hospital possesses a situation of rare scenic beauty and sanitary advantage. It is reached by a drive of about two miles over one of the most beautiful roads in Canada, and is far enough away from the life and bustle of the city to ensure that quiet which is so necessary to the sick. About twenty-four acres of cultivated land comprise the hospital grounds, the buildings being situated near the road. The administration block, in the centre, is the only one of the buildings more than one story in height. It is fifty-three feet square, and contains reception rooms, dining rooms and offices for the hospital staff. Three stories in height, with basement, it will when completed present a fine appearance from the road. At the west of the administration block, which faces the south, are the medical and surgical wards for male patients, as well as a number of private wards, nurses' rooms, bath rooms, lavatories, conveniences, etc., etc. The male wards are connected with the administration block by a long corridor, and are each 120 feet in length by 44 feet in width. The corridor, 350 feet in length, extends from the administration block each way, and connected with it are two day rooms for the patients, one on each side of the administration block. At the extreme eastern end of the corridor is the female ward, and female private wards, the building being 120 feet long by 44 wide, furnished and fitted up in a similar manner to the male wards. The entire building is of brick and stone, with the exception of the corridors, which are of frame. It is to be well ventilated, and heated by steam, each block of buildings containing separate furnaces. All the appointments are of the most modern and approved designs, and apparently nothing has been forgotten that would help to make the hospital worthily fulfil the charitable purposes for which it is being erected. The architect is Mr. John Teague; the contractors, Messrs. Elford & Smith; painter, Mr. R. Lettice; plasterer, Mr. John Drake; plumbers, Messrs. Braden & Stamford.

For the accommodation of the public yesterday, a platform, about 130 feet square, was erected over the foundations of the administration building, with tiers of seats on either side. The corner stone of the north-east corner of the block, appeared in the centre of a square pit, carpeted with crimson, between the spectators' seats and towards the eastern end of the platform.

Shortly after two o'clock the band of H.M.S. Swiftsure and the guard of honor, consisting of 100 bluejackets, under the command of Lieut. Kingsford, with Sub-Lieut. Ross and Midshipman Sharpe as right and left guide, marched on the ground and took their places upon the platform. The bluejackets were then put through the naval drill, executing every movement with the precision and quickness of British sailors.

At two-thirty o'clock Mrs. Nelson, attended by the Lieut.-Governor's private secretary, Mr. Herbert Stanton, arrived, and was received by the president, T. R. Smith, Esq., W. M. Chudley, Esq., secretary, and Hon. Jno. Robson, Hon. J. H. Turner, Mr. Justice Crease, Mayor Grant, ex-Mayor Fell, Messrs. R. P. Rithet, Robt. Ward, Alex. Wilson, Dr. Davie, Joshua Davies, E. A. McQuade, J. D. Warren, C. Hayward, and J. S. Yates, members of the committee, and Mr. W. S. Gore, surveyor-general, who occupied seats on the platform, the blue jackets presenting arms and the band playing the National Anthem.

The band of the Swiftsure then played a delightful medley of operatic airs, and the hymn "The Heavens are Telling," by Haydn, was well sung by the chorus of 600 school children, under the joint direction of Prof. Sharpe and Mr. Offerhaus.

REGRETS.

On the conclusion of the hymn, the secretary, Mr. W. M. Chudley, stepped forward and read the following expressions of regret at their inability to be present, from the mayors of Vancouver, New Westminster and Nanaimo:

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
VANCOUVER, B.C., April 20th, 1889.

Wm. M. Chudley, Esqr., Honorary Secretary, Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital, Victoria, B.C.

Dear Sir,—I beg you to express to the committee my sincere regrets that I am unable to accept their kind invitation to the laying of the corner stone of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.

I did not receive their courteous request until this morning, but even had it reached me earlier it would have been impossible for me to be absent from Vancouver on Easter Monday.

My sincerest wishes for the rapid development, however, of the noble humane institution are with you.

Believe me, dear sir,
Yours very truly,
D. OPPENHEIMER,
Mayor.

NEW WESTMINSTER, April 22, 1889.

Wm. M. Chudley:—Mayor desires me to express his regret that other engagements prevent him from accepting your kind invitation to be present at laying of corner stone, Jubilee Hospital.

D. ROBSON,
City Clerk.

NANAIMO, B.C., April 22, 1889.

W. M. Chudley:—Thanks for kind invitation, much regret I can't attend.

M. BATE.

Thomas R. Smith, Esq., president of the committee, then delivered the following address, before the silver trowel was handed to Mrs. Nelson:

THE PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

Madam,—On behalf of the committee, it is my pleasing duty to thank you most cordially for your attendance here today, to lay the corner stone of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital, a structure now in process of erection to commemorate the jubilee of Her Most Gracious Majesty, Queen Victoria.

That auspicious event, as you are aware, was celebrated in June, 1887, and was the occasion, throughout the length and breadth of her Majesty's dominions, of a spontaneous and overwhelming outburst of loyalty and love towards the throne and person of our gracious Queen, such as perhaps the world had never before witnessed.

In this grand expression of feeling—the going out of the heart of a mighty nation to a much loved sovereign—it is well known to you, Madam, the people of British Columbia were not behind their fellow subjects, and in the fulness and gladness of their hearts, resolved to perpetuate the memory of so glorious an event by the founding of some lasting memorial of the 50th year of her Most Gracious Majesty's reign.

This resolve, after full consideration, took the shape of better hospital accommodation in this city, it being generally felt that in no more appropriate manner could a grateful sense of one of the most endearing of Her Majesty's many noble qualities of heart and mind, namely, Her Majesty's constant and tender solicitude for the welfare of the sick and afflicted, be conveyed to those who should follow in the years to come.

The history of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital may be said to date from a meeting of the Board of Directors of the present Royal Hospital, held in the month of February, 1887—the Jubilee year—at which it was painfully apparent that the accommodation afforded at that institution was totally inadequate to meet the urgent needs of the growing population of the province; the site and sanitary arrangements of the premises, moreover, were considered such as to admit of great improvement.

Under these circumstances, the directors felt it incumbent on them to endeavour by every means in their power to provide something better without delay, and I need not state with what feelings of gratification and thankfulness the happy result in the proceedings of today is being witnessed by them.

On the 21st of February, 1887, an influential meeting of citizens was held at the Board of Trade rooms in this city, presided over by my late lamented predecessor, Mr. Alex. McLean, at which the subject was fully discussed, and a committee elected, who in turn appointed a deputation to confer with the Provincial Government with the view of ascertaining to what extent, if any, the Legislature would assist in the good work, the result being that the sum of $20,000 was promised, provided the public subscribed a corresponding amount.

A general appeal was thereupon made to the inhabitants of the province, with the gratifying result that, in June last, the committee were in a position to claim the fulfillment of the promise made by the Government, and to call for plans in the first instance, and subsequently for tenders for the erection of the proposed new building.

The important question of site caused the committee much anxiety, and I regret to inform you, madam, occasioned no little delay in proceeding with the work. Considerable divergence of opinion existed in the minds of subscribers in this regard, but in the end the present truly magnificent location was decided upon by a majority, and purchased for $6,750. I venture to suggest, madam, that the wisdom of the choice must be apparent to yourself and to all here to-day. It is, moreover, satisfactory to know that since the purchase was made, the property has considerably enhanced in value.

The tender accepted by the committee for the erection of the building—that of Mr. J. P. Elford—amounts to $50,558, a sum which it will be observed, exceeds the funds at present at their disposal. After the premises are handed over on the 1st of January, 1890, it will be necessary to provide suitable furniture, and it is hoped, therefore, that the citizens of Victoria, and the inhabitants

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CAPITAL NOTES.

The Supplementary Estimates Laid Before the House.

Victoria and the Province Generally Does Remarkably Well.

The Proposed Increase to the Judges' Salaries to be Dropped—Mr. Chisholm's Condition Unchanged.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

OTTAWA, April 23.—The House today spent several hours discussing the extradition bill. The concensus of opinion is favorable to the measure, but the retroactive clause was struck out, so that those refugees at present in Canada now breathe easier. An amendment was also made to the effect that the minister of justice shall not be empowered to surrender a criminal unless a gurantee be given that the person surrendered be tried for the offence for which he is surrendered and no other. The jurisdiction of the mounted police was made applicable only to the provinces adjoining the territories and not to the whole dominion.

There was a ministerial caucus this morning, and as a result, the proposal to increase the judges' salaries will be dropped.

The anti-combines bill has passed its third reading.

Col. Baker, M. P. P. for Kootenay, is here.

Mr. Chisholm's condition is unchanged.

The supplementary estimates for the next fiscal year were brought down today. Victoria does remarkably well, and so does the province generally. Col. Prior and the other British Columbia members are greatly pleased. Following are the British Columbia items: Victoria military buildings, $21,250; Victoria harbor, to complete removal of boulders and shoal, $6,000; to cover cost of placing 75 additional keel blocks in the Esquimalt dock, $8,000; extra superannuation allowance to postmaster, $240 annually from January, 1888; wharf and shed in Victoria for light house service, $2,000; repairs to Victoria quarantine station, $155; Skeena River, removal of snags, $2,500; Nanaimo, removal of Nicol rock, $5,000; Fraser River, $10,000; Columbia River improvements between Revelstoke and Arrow Lake, $6,000; Nanaimo, public building improvements, $1,000; penitentiary, $15,000; Revote, additional amount for Bonilla Point telegraph, $4,000; steam communication between Victoria and Westminster, $7,500; small steam launch for use of the Indian department in the waters of the Province of British Columbia, $5,000; Revote, sums granted for the erection of Indian schools at Kamloops, Kootenay and Kuper Island, $7,500; supplementary grant to Metlakatla Industrial School, $3,170; total amount to be voted, $1,313,000. The chief items are a quarter of a million to meet the Franchise Act expenses, and $100,000 for improvements of the St. Lawrence River.

LORD LONSDALE'S TRIP.

He Describes His Adventures in the Far North.

A Journey of Peril and Hardship—The Grand Waterfall on Hay River, which Surpasses Niagara.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—Lord Lonsdale, who arrived here this morning by the steamer Bertha from Alaska, told the following story of his journey to a reporter this afternoon: "I left England on the 20th Feb., 1888, for New York. My object was not to go to the North Pole, as stated, but purely to explore the islands in the Arctic ocean and study the birds and animals to be found there. From New York I went to Montreal. It was the middle of March before I got to Winnipeg, having been detained three weeks by a snow storm. On the 20th of that month I went to Troy, where I hired horses and sleds, and travelled to Prince Albert, a distance of three hundred miles, the journey occupying three days. Then I went to Greenland, 270 miles further, covering the whole distance, mainly through a dense forest, in a week. From this point I sent back my servant with all my luggage, only keeping one change of clothes. From that time I have had no change and have had to use native furs. I had 69 dogs and 18 Indians with me. The weather was severe, sometimes

40 DEGREES BELOW ZERO,

and in twenty-four hours it would rise to 30° above. This made travelling terrible work, and kept us wet from morning to night. On May 7th we reached Athabasca Lake, 177 miles long, and lost ourselves two days in a fog. During that time we were unable to sleep or cook anything, as we could get no driftwood. It rained and snowed alternately all the time. For the next 800 miles we had many difficulties, but were never more than four days at a time without food. We came across many Indians dead from starvation. Reached the Great Slave Lake on June 1st, the ice being solid. The next point was Sulphur Bay, where our boat was caught between two blocks of ice and kept there for 28 days. Our Indians were terribly fatigued and lay down in the boat useless. Finally we got out to Hay River, where we saw the most beautiful waterfall in the world. It is horseshoe shaped, and has a sheer fall of two hundred feet, about one and a-half miles wide at the top, and one and three-quarters at the bottom. It is far

MORE BEAUTIFUL THAN NIAGARA.

Block after block of ice, and iceberg after iceberg came whirling over and down into the abyss below. We went to Peel river in the Hudson's Bay Company's steamer. There we got a boat and with eight natives started for the Arctic. In August we reached Melville Island, in latitude 75, the farthest point reached north. Our course was then directed from Melville Island to Kodiak, Alaska. So intense was the cold during the journey from there that all but 28 of the dogs died and several of the Indians were nearly frozen to death. I was obliged to walk over fifteen hundred miles across Alaska, owing to the depth of snow, which in some places was eleven feet, making it impossible for the dogs to drag anything more than the sleds with their loads of provisions. On the 10th of November we reached the Russian mission on the Yukon River, and after many more difficulties arrived at Katina on the other side of Kodiak, about the 12th of February. Owing to the thickness of the ice it was impossible for the boat to arrive from Kodiak until nearly a month later." Lord Lonsdale will stay but a few weeks in the city, going to New York bp way of Winnipeg. He is obliged to be in England by the 1st of June, at which time the Border regiment, Her Majesty's troops, of which he is the major, is ordered out.

ST. GEORGE'S DAY.

The Englishmen of British Columbia Unite to Celebrate the Anniversary of England's Patron Saint.

The twenty-third of April, St. George's Day, so long as the English race remains, will never pass without worthy recognition wherever it may find the sons of St. George. British Columbia's sturdy pioneers, many of whom claim Merrie England as their mother land, regard St. George's Day, as the day which they most delight to honor, and as each succeeding year rolls by, the evening of April 23 always finds the true Britons of the Pacific Province gathered at the festive board to celebrate in royal manner the anniversary of England's patron saint.

Last evening, the flash of light and the sound of merry voices and sweet music from within, told that the spacious dining room of the Clarence Hotel was the scene of the annual banquet, where upwards of seventy-five Sons of St. George had assembled to enjoy the hospitality of Mine Host Anderson, and spend a few hours in fraternal conviviality.

At the head of the double row of tables sat the worthy president of St. George's Society, Mr. C. E. Redfern, at his right Mayor Grant, and at his left that genial soul, Major Peters. The vice-president, Mr. G. Powell, occupied the seat of honor at the foot of the right table.

After the tables had been cleared of their tempting spread of good things, the president, Mr. Redfern, read letters of regret at their inability to attend from Lieut.-Governor Nelson, Capt. Hammet of H.M.S. Swiftsure, Commander Clarke of H.M.S. Espiegle, Capt. Annesley of H.M.S. Icarus, Lt.-Col. Holmes, Col. Stevens and Mr. M. W. T. Drake, and called for the toast most dear to the English heart—Her Majesty the Queen.

The glasses were drained and the toast was honored enthusiastically, the orchestra playing the National Anthem.

Next followed in rapid succession the healths of the Prince of Wales and Royal Family, the President of the United States, and the Governor-General of Canada, the latter toast proposed by the vice-chair.

The Lieutenant-Governor was proposed by ex-Mayor Fell, who referred to his long acquaintance with the present Lieutenant-Governor, who had struggled with the early pioneers and had received the highest recognition that it was possible for a man to obtain. He regretted the present ill-health of Lieutenant-Governor Nelson, whom he hoped would long live in health and strength. The toast was duly honored, and a little variety was introduced by the president calling upon Mr. Phillips for a song.

"The Will O' the Wisp" was given in rousing style by Mr. Phillips, and received with long and loud applause.

In the absence of Mr. M. W. T. Drake, Mr. Edward Allen, M.P.P., proposed the Army, Navy and Volunteers.

Major Peters rose to respond. He thought it was very peculiar that out of the large number of army, navy and everything else, he was the only one present to respond to this important toast. He was proud, he said, to honor the race from which he sprung. All his ancestors were Englishmen—with the exception of a few women, of course. (Laughter). After puting the table in a roar of laughter, he concluded his humorous peroration by congratulating Victoria on the large number of Englishmen within her boarders, and their magnificent appetites. It was one of the peculiarities of the city that first attracted the attention of the North American Ch——, Eastern Canadian visitor to the coast.

Police Officer Levin, as an ex-officer of the British navy, was also called on, and acknowledged the hearty manner in which the toast had been drunk in a neat and practical speech.

Mr. Fairbrother being called upon for a song, replied with the old favorite, "There's Room Enough for All."

The Mayor and Council of Victoria was proposed by Mr. Charles Wilson, and acknowledged by Mayor Grant.

Mr. Edward Allen, M. P. P., gave "My Ancestors were English" in good voice, the sentiment of the song meeting with a warm welcome in every heart.

"The Bench and Bar" was proposed by Mr. C. P. Bloomfield, and was replied to by Messrs. S. P. Mills and Charles Wilson.

A song by Mr. Harmon, "The Ship That Never Returned," preceded the toast of the clergy, called for by Mr. E. T. Fletcher, and received with the music of "Old Hundred."

Ex-Mayor Fell was loudly called upon to respond. On doing so he expressed great surprise. He was not a clergyman, nor yet the son of a clergyman, he said. He acknowledged the great service that the clergy had rendered in the civilization of the world in the past, but thought that the day of their usefulness was past.

A song by Mr. Flewin followed, given in splendid style.

Mr. S. P. Mills, in proposing the health of the press, referred to the much that had been done by the press in advancing the interests of British Columbia.

The toast was acknowledged by Mr. Munn of the Times, Mr. Lindley of the Standard, and Mr. Gibbons of THE COLONIST.

Mr. Jenkins, in his rendition of the ever popular ballad, "The Warrior Bold," proved himself a vocalist of no mean ability. In reply to an enthusiastic encore, he gave "Fear not, but trust in Provinence."

"Our Native Land," and "The Day we celebrate," a double toast, was proposed by Mr. W. K. Bull, in an eloquent and patriotic speech.

The toast was duly honored, and "Sister Societies," proposed by Mr. G. Fairbrother, and "The Ladies," by Mr. J. E. Martin, brought the toast list to a close.

The business of the evening having been brought to a close, an hour more was spent by the brethren present in social chat, interspersed with music, and at about one o'clock the last of the happy Englishmen had left the banqueting hall.

The affair, as usual with anything connected in any way with St. George's Society, was a brilliant success, much of the pleasure being due, however, to the careful and complete preparations that had been made by Mr. Anderson of the Clarence, and his gentlemanly and efficient steward, Mr. Archie F. Reid.

The Strike in Minneapolis.

MINNEAPOLIS, April 22.—After dark last evening a large crowd of sympathizers with the street car strikers congregated on Riverside avenue and tore up the tracks in a number of places, and also placed obstructions of every description at various points along the line. They threatened to treat the other lines in the same way. At a meeting at Labor Temple last evening, a resolution was adopted protesting against the payment by the city of the salaries of those policemen who have assisted the company in running the cars.

Resignation Accepted.

WASHINGTON, April 22.—The resignation of Judge Durham, first comptroller of the treasury, was accepted by Secretary Windom to-day, to take effect at once.

CABLE NEWS.

Lord Churchill's Attack Upon Joseph Chamberlain.

Some Interesting Political Secrets to be Disclosed.

Dissension in Edinburgh Over the Question of Conferring the Freedom of the City Upon Parnell.

An Angry Letter to Chamberlain.

LONDON, April 23.—Lord Randolph Churchill has written an angry letter to Chamberlain, in which he warns that gentleman that if the conservatives choose to make a test of their strength throughout Birmingham, the contest will certainly result in the political annihilation of Chamberlain and his friends. If these gentlemen have the success of unionism at heart they had better moderate their pretensions and turn their attention to conciliating rather than provoking the Conservatives.

Chamberlain's Reply.

LONDON, April 23.—Joseph Chamberlain has written a reply to the open letter of Lord Randolph Churchill, arraigning the Birmingham radical leader for his action in the recent election in the central division. In the course of his writing Mr. Chamberlain says: "I will endeavor humbly to profit by your advice, though I fear the task of reconciling conflicting interests is not made easier by your communications regarding future action."

Holds Out the Olive Branch.

LONDON, April 23.—Mr. Chamberlain thinks that the conservatives and liberal-unionists ought to make a joint canvass to ascertain their relative force in Birmingham and afterwards submit their differences to arbitration. He says that he would welcome any assistance from Lord Randolph tending to the establishment of unity.

Churchill and Chamberlain.

LONDON, April 23.—The general dullness incident to the Easter holidays has been very favorable to the excitement of widespread interest in Lord Randolph Churchill's savage attack upon Joseph Chamberlain and that gentleman's reply thereto. Lord Randolph's letter is admitted to be a straightforward statement of the situation in Birmingham, and the cause therof, and the opinion is that Chamberlain's answer dodges the issue and widens the breach between the unionists and the tories. The local leaders of both parties had reached a perfectly harmonious understanding previous to Chamberlain's inhibition of the nomination of a conservative candidate in the central division. Concerning Chamberlain's arbitrary course, Rowland H. Hopkins and Sir James Sawyer (conservatives) have prepared a concise statement which will be published in tomorrow's issue of the Birmingham Gazette, and the controversy opened by Lord Randolph Churchill promises to involve a large number of persons and disclose some interesting political secrets.

Valued at Their Full Worth.

LONDON, April 23.—Capt. Knudsen, of the wrecked steamer Danmark, and three engineers belonging to that vessel, have arrived at London on board the steamer New York City. They are enthusiastic in their praises of Capt. Murrell and the officers of the steamer Missouri.

Gosforth Park Spring Meeting.

LONDON, April 23.—The Gosforth Park plate, of 500 sovereigns, was won yesterday at the Newcastle and Gosforth Park spring meeting by "Dauntless;" "Niagara" second, and "Fenrother" third.

Epsom Races.

LONDON, April 23.—The great Metropolitan stakes handicap of 20 sovereigns each, with 500 sovereigns added, for three-year-olds and upwards, was won at Epsom to-day by Mr. Fenwick's five year-old "Tissaferness."

Manchester Easter Races.

LONDON, April 23.—At the Manchester Easter steeple chase and hurdle races to-day, the race for the Jubilee handicap hurdle race of 1,000 sovereigns was won by "The Tyke."

Edinburgh's Protest.

EDINBURGH, April 23.—A turbulent meeting of the Edinburgh council was held to-day on the question of conferring the freedom of the city upon Parnell. A division was finally taken, resulting in the passage of a resolution offering the freedom of Edinburgh to the Irish leader by a vote of 24 to 14. Upon announcement of the vote the Lord Provost declared that the minority would not assist in what they considered would be an injury to the city, and furthermore, that no man of honor would accept the freedom of the city thus given.

The "City of Paris" Arrives.

QUEENSTOWN, April 23.—Arrived ss. City of Paris, New York, for Liverpool.

The S. S. "Ellie" Arrives.

BREMERHAVEN, April 23.—Arrived Ellie, New York.

The S. S. "Ethiopia" Arrives.

MOVILLE, April 23.—Arrived Ethiopia, New York.

Death of a Princess.

STOCKHOLM, April 23.—Princess Charlotte Eugenie, sister of King Oscar of Sweden, is dead.

Visiting the King of Saxony.

BERLIN, April 23.—The Emperor and Empress have gone to Dresden to pay a visit to the King of Saxony.

Easter at Rome.

ROME, April 23.—The Pope celebrated mass on Sunday in the hall of the consistory in the presence of a large number of strangers. At noon His Holiness received the visiting and resident prelates and several other distinguished persons. It is stated seven cardinals will be created at the coming consistory.

Suicide at Naples.

ROME, April 23.—The body of Ashworth, British vice-consul at Catellamare, was found to-day at the foot of a precipice overlooking the Bay of Naples. It is believed that he committed suicide.

Miles of Fire.

HOLYOKE, Mass, April 22. The fire which started here at 4 p. m. yesterday, during a furious gale, laid waste a strip of valuable timber land four miles long and from 100 to 400 yards wide. The house of a man named Squire was burned. The loss will amount to thousands of dollars. Among the heaviest losers are the Royal Button and Gaylord Bros., of South Hadley, who lost large quantities of wood.

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POLITICAL INDEPENDENCE.

From our Ottawa telegram of Monday night we infer that Mr. Davies of Prince Edward Island moved an amendment to the Government's resolution proposing to grant a subsidy to a line of steamships between British Columbia and Australia as a manœuvre in the tactics of party. He wanted, as Mr. O'Mara said, to put the British Columbia members in an awkward position. This meant, we suppose, that he wished to force them to vote against the Government. Would the British Columbia members be "in an awkward position" if, in endeavoring to further the interests of their province, they voted against the Government? If Mr. Davies' amendment was a good one, calculated to advance the welfare of this province, why should any British Columbia member, before he voted for it, wait to see whether the Government favored it or not? Are British Columbia members bound to vote for all Government measures, irrespective of the bearing which those measures may have on the interests of British Columbia? And are they in duty bound to vote against everything proposed by the Opposition? We think not. We are decidedly of opinion if any member of British Columbia supported the Government in doing an injustice to his province he would be unfaithful to the trust reposed in him by his constituents. That member would be in an awkward position—a very awkward position—who preferred the interests of some favorite of the Government to the welfare of those whom he was elected to represent. Party loyalty becomes slavish submissiveness and even treachery when it requires a man to sacrifice those whom he is bound to serve to the best of his ability to some company or some locality which it suits the Government's interest or its whim to favor. If Mr. Davies' proposal was right and necessary from a British Columbian point of view, British Columbian members should have supported it without troubling themselves as to how their vote would be regarded by the Government or any number of its members. That it was right appears from the course which the Government has taken with respect to the Pacific steamers. If the Government had stipulated that those steamers should call at Victoria and made that stipulation part of the contract, the steamers would be compelled to call at this port on their inward and outward voyages. The Company would no doubt raise objections and evince great unwillingness to do that measure of justice to the principal port of the province. But rather than lose the subsidy it would give in. It appears to us that if Mr. Davies did not move this resolution or one of the same purport, a British Columbia member ought to have done so. Its being moved by a British Columbia member and supported by British Columbia members, would have convinced the Government that they are thoroughly in earnest and that their request to have the steamers call at Victoria is no mere show of zeal made for the sake of appearances and to keep themselves right with their constituents. When a member contents himself with merely protesting against his constituents or his province being treated unfairly, and then immediately gets into party traces again and supports the Government, that has refused his province what he believes ought to have been granted to it, through thick and thin, his constituents cannot be regarded as uncharitable if they doubt the sincerity of the zeal in their service which he professes. Talk is cheap. It is the votes that tell. The member who refuses to vote against his party when he believes it is doing wrong is not fit to occupy a representative position. Party is a superstition with that man. He worships a mere name. This is not how members of the Imperial Parliament act. The independence which English members evince must astonish Canadian politicians, the beginning and the end of whose creed is, "Follow my leader." When a number of Mr. Gladstone's followers became convinced that he was pursuing an improper course with regard to Home Rule they did not hesitate to vote against him and his Government; and when he continued advocating what they believed to be a policy injurious to the interests of the empire they did not scruple to unite with his opponents to defeat him, and when they had driven him from power, to continue the alliance to prevent his return to office. The Liberal Unionists had no superstitious reverence for the name "Liberal." What is seen in this instance on a large scale takes place every session in the British Parliament on a smaller scale. Intelligent men, who have strong convictions do not consider that they are in an "awkward position" when they vote against the party to which they belong, it being, as they believe, in the wrong. When there is a little more of this kind of independence in the Parliament of the Dominion the country will be better governed than it is.

When the leader of a Government can count upon the support of the whole contingent from a province, no matter how he treats it, he will pay very little attention to their requests, let them be ever so reasonable; and the more subservient they grow the more careless he becomes. It is not often that a member is in an awkward position when he fearlessly does what he knows to be his duty, but the member who dodges votes and who exhausts his ingenuity in trying to make his allegiance to his leader appear to be consistent with his duty to his constituents, is often in an exceedingly awkward position. The attempt to serve two masters is as vain now as it was two thousand years ago. Owing to an oversight on the part of Mr. Laurier, Mr. Davies' amendment was not put to a vote, but if a division had been called, we trust that the British Columbia members would, to a man, have been found loyal to the interests of their province.

A PREPOSTEROUS CLAIM.

The San Francisco News-Letter is one of the brightest and most independent periodicals on the Pacific Coast. Its loyalty is above suspicion. It is for United States first, last and all the time. Yet this patriotic journal condemns in clear and forcible terms the claim of the United States to exclusive jurisdiction over the waters of Behring's Sea. This is what it says of that subject in its issue of the 20th inst.:

"Then we are in a fair way to borrow trouble in the Behring's Sea. The President has issued a proclamation warning all nations that vessels caught taking seals or other fur-bearing animals in that sea will be captured, confiscated and sold, and a ship of war is to be present to make good the warning. That the claim of the United States to the ownership of that vast and open sea will be resisted goes without saying. We make it because Russia once did so before us. But the curious and at this time highly suggestive fact is that we resisted the pretense of Russia, and she substantially withdrew it. We insisted then, as other nations will insist now, that a marine league from the shore marks the limit of each country's exclusive ownership of the high seas. To seize sealing vessels 160 miles from the nearest land, as we did last year, is to plunge into inevitable trouble. Secretary Bayard receded from his position then as Secretary Blaine will have to recede from his now. It is simply untenable. Then on the Atlantic we have the Canadian fisheries disputes on our hands and a pretty kettle of fish it is. It has been horribly muddled and bungled. Partisan politics left it in a state of confusion which it will be very difficult to straighten out. The treaty negotiated by Secretary Bayard was rejected in order to influence the presidential campaign. Cleveland, in order to bid higher than the Senate, then issued his celebrated retaliation message, and how a rapproachment between the parties is to be brought about nobody seems able to tell. On the Atlantic side we insist upon our right to fish inside Canadian bays, whilst on the Pacific side we claim the whole ocean. It is a curious pretension, especially as we are without a navy to support it."

The inconsistency of the policy of the United States on both sides of the continent cannot but strike every one who pays attention to the subject. On the east side, where the most valuable fisheries are near British territory, it insists on the narrowest interpretation of the three-mile limit. On the west side, where it possesses valuable seal preserves it claims sovereignty over the whole ocean. Sensible United States citizens see the unfairness as well as the absurdity of this policy, and they have the honesty and the independence to give expression to their views. Their unqualified condemnation of the United States claim is very strong evidence that it is untenable. They naturally look at the subject in the light most favorable to their country, and when, in spite of their bias, they are compelled to come to the conclusion that it is altogether baseless, it is safe to predict that when it is examined by impartial men their decision will be against the United States.

SOUND TALK.

Mr. Powderly, General Master of the Knights of Labor, has been in Eastern Canada lately, and he delivered speeches in Toronto and Ottawa. He seems to be a level-headed man. He gave the workmen and others who heard him good advice. Much of his Toronto speech was historical. He sketched the history of the order of which he is the head, and gave an interesting account of its struggles, its triumphs and its reverses. He is a zealous advocate of temperance. He looks upon whiskey as the workingman's worst enemy. He considers that strong drink is the worst of the three bosses who want to take charge of the Knights of Labor, and he also believes it to be the greatest hindrance to the success of the Order. The Knights of Labor who are given to drink give the organization a bad character, and the Knights who are under the influence of liquor are the first to counsel violent measures and the most ready to listen to bad advice. Speaking of the evils of drink from the workingman's point of view, he said:—

One man recurs in particular to my mind. I saw him in his little home. There was a bare floor, no carpet, a table with three legs, the corner with no leg being nailed to the wall, four chairs, and the man, his wife and four children; no pictures, no paper on the wall and scarcely any food in the house. His wife was preparing his dinner-pail for him to take to the mines. When I went in they were surprised. I asked him to become a temperance man. He replied: "Oh, I get along all right." He got along all right, but his family didn't. I want to show they did suffer. There is no workman's family in the world growing up at the present day who do not require more of the comforts of home than I have pointed out to you to-night. (Applause.) The man who drinks to excess, and there are thousands of them, cannot perform his duty to his wife and little ones, and when I see the results you cannot blame me for becoming warm when I speak on whiskey. If there is any man in this audience who can point to a single good thing whiskey has done I will take back everything I have said. Show me anything it has done for the benefit of the poor, the elevation of science, the cause of religion or country, and I will take back everything. Children have been debauched, homes levelled to the ground, towns laid desolate; yes, and you can trace the fate of nations to the free use of whiskey. That being the case, why should not the Knights of Labor condemn it with all their might? (Applause.) I have seen this in every State of the Union. I have seen it in the assemblies of the Knights of Labor. Why are you so few in this town? It is probably owing to this cause. It is because when so and so comes to the meeting he is always full, for until he is full of rum he is elways empty. He then does not know enough to hold his tongue. Let the men go on strike anywhere, and it is the fellow who gets drunk who does the mischief. If there is a man in the whole community who does drink he will be singled out and filled full so that he may do the dirty work. The papers then take it up—for everything now gets into the papers, and it is only right that it should be so—and it will be said that the man who was drunk is a real representative of the cause of labor, and though he was the ninety-ninth man out of a hundred the Knights of Labor would all be condemned for that man's temporary insanity.

This is wholesome talk, and how much truth there is in it every one who has lived long in this world in any station of life knows only too well. Mr. Powderly is an earnest advocate of education. He hates to see the education of the children of the working man neglected. He is for this reason, as well as for others, opposed to child labor. On this subject he said:

"Without proper education in the nineteenth century a boy stands at the mercy of every one who has. The competition of to-day is too great for people to grow up in ignorance. We desire that the children of the poor shall be educated."

If the Knights of Labor followed the advice of their General Master Workman, there would be fewer labor disputes than there are, and when they did occur they would be more easily settled. It is because numbers of them will not listen to his moderate and reasonable counsels that many disagreements between workmen and their employees arise and become aggravated into serious troubles. Mr. Powderly professes in his official capacity to be guided by the precept "Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself."

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Rev. G. W. Taylor..	Real prop.	Lot 3, Section 36, 14½ acres, Victoria District...	5 35
Do.	" "	Part of Lot 3, Section 37, 21 acres, "	6 50
H. R Troupe.......	" & p'r "	Lot 27, Section 75, 1 93/100 acres, " }	75 85
Do.	" "	Lot 26, Section 76, 12½ acres, " }	
Louis Alfred Blanc.	" & w. l'd	Section 60, 100 acres, Esquimalt District......	11 50
Mrs McMillan......	Real prop.	Section 33, 143 acres, Sooke District........	6 00
William Faul.......	r'l p & w. l'd	1/7 of Section 50, 20 acres, Metchosin District...	2 05
J. P. Keller........	" "	6 acres of Suburban Lot 50, Esquimalt District..	27 10
Sarah McDonald...	Real prop.	Lot 74, Section 31, Victoria West, "	1 00
J. W. McMillan....	" & per "	Sections 25 and 26, Sooke District........	10 50
Mrs. M. A. Smith..	Real prop.	Lot 8, Section 10, Esquimalt District........	5 00
J. Turner..........	r'l & w'd l'd	Section 11, Metchosin........	10 50
Jas. Wilcox, estate.	Real prop.	Part of Lots 7, 8, 15 and 16, subdivisions of Lot 113, Victoria West, Esquimalt District.....	2 00
Thos. Earle........	r'l & w'd ld	Section 7, 160 acres, Sayward District........	15 74

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Victoria, 19th day of March, 1889. mar20

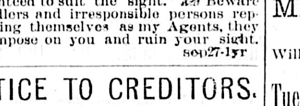
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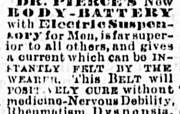
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Will take place in the City of Victoria, commencing on
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BREDEMEYER VISITS TEXADA.

His Idea of the Island's Mineral Worth—The Truth About Some of Texada's Mines and Miners.

Dr. Bredemeyer, the well-known mining expert, returned on Saturday evening from Texada Island, where, he informed a COLONIST representative, he had been employed by the Texada Mining Company. This company, it will be remembered, recently bonded twenty-five mines on the island for $50,000.

In these twenty-five mines, Dr. Bredemeyer says, they have six really good mines—The Golden Slipper, Caledonia, Silver Tip, Blue Bell, Viwar Eagle and Great Devon Console.

The Golden Slipper and Caledonia produce rich gold quartz, the vein being from three to four feet wide, but the pay streak from which the gold comes being only from three to six inches in width. The pay-streak is filled with honeycombed quartz impregnated with oxide of iron. In this quartz the gold appears either free or in pyrites. It cannot be called free milling ore, but must be roasted. It is rich enough, however, to still give handsome profits.

The Great Devon and Viwar Eagle veins are from two to five feet wide, containing rich copper ores, assaying from 13 to 34 per cent. in copper, and from $2 to $12 in gold. The character of this ore is copper glanze, grain and red oxide of copper, copper pyrities, azurite and malachite.

The Blue Bell and Silver Tip veins are from two to three feet wide, with solid paystreaks running parallel and close together, filling out the lode. This ore assays 45 per cent. of iron, 3 per cent. of lead, six to twelve ounces of silver, and from $3 to $24 in gold.

On these six mines work is being vigorously prosecuted, and several important contracts have been let. All the other mines are merely undeveloped prospects—some more or less valuable, and others upon which Dr. Bredemeyer says he does not care to express an opinion.

Besides the mines forming the property of the Texada Mining Company, Dr. Bredemeyer while on Texada Island visited and examined upwards of fifty other prospects to satisfy his own curiosity. He found, he says, some very valuable claims, and many worthless. His opinion is that a very large number of inexperienced men—green miners—have gone up to Texada, and located everything that, to them, looked like quartz; or any kind of curious stone that they might come across, ledge or no ledge.

Many of the Texada miners have done hardly anything in regard to development—in many cases not even assessment work. What they call $100 assessment work, the Doctor says, could be done by one man in a couple of days, and that one man wouldn't be overworked either. Another thing that he noticed during his visit, was that many of the specimens sent over by the owners of different claims for assay did not come from their claims at all, but were without a doubt from the Golden Slipper. Salting has evidently been carried on to a very considerable extent.

The foundation where the main mineral deposits are situated, is triassic; and in such rock as limestone, lime shale, and ash-rock, crossed in all directions by porphyry, grain stone and trap. There are on the island large deposits of magnetic iron, fully equal in quality to that prodduced by the Iron Company now at work, and as yet unlocated. At the extreme south end of Gillie's Bay, coal and sandstone are observable, and there can be no doubt that at that point a coal basin underlies the Island, with its apex on the mainland on one side; and on Vancouver Island (already discovered) on the other.

Texada Island is heavily wooded; and in the region where the minerals lie, abounds in mountains which reach an altitude at the highest, of 1500 feet. Transportation from the mines to the shore can be made easy, and with the waste rock from the mines, magnificent wharves can be built at little cost.

CONDENSED DESPATCHES

Work has been commenced on the Dooley motor line, Port Townsend.

Buildings to the value of over one million dollars are to be erected in Port Townsend during the coming year.

The Athabasca, the first through boat of the season, arrived at Port Arthur from Owen Sound on Tuesday afternoon.

An incendiary fire at Port Hope, on Monday night, destroyed John Helm's frame grist mill and stone woolen mill.

Sir Julian Pauncefote, new British minister to Washington, arrived at New York by the steamship Etruria on Sunday.

Gabriel Dumont is on his way to Montana to collect a party of half-breeds and Indians who participated in the late rebellion, whom he will take to Paris.

An immense anti-Jesuit meeting was held at Toronto on Monday night to approve of the thirteen members who voted for disallowance of the Jesuits' Estate Bill.

C. R. Williams' brewery, at Bismarck, Dak., was destroyed by fire on Sunday night. The loss is heavy, as the brewery was one of the largest in the Northwest.

Morrison, the outlaw, is now lodged in jail at Sherbrooke awaiting trial. He claims his capture was the result of treachery on the part of the officer who made the arrest.

Five steamships landed 2,293 steerage passengers at Castle Garden on Sunday, all from Europe. Among the number were 35 Arabs and Greeks, who were detained as paupers.

The courtmartial of Lieut.-Commander Book, of the Pinta, charged with being absent from his post without leave, has resulted in a sentence of two years' suspension from rank and duty on half-pay. An appeal will be made to the President.

The woods near Marion, on the Milwaukee, Lake Shore and Western Road, in Wisconsin, caught fire on Sunday night and the flames spread to the small town of Buckbee, which was entirely wiped out.

The Dehu Hotel, at Detroit, Mich., conducted as a sailors' boarding house, was burned on Sunday night, and Emerson J. Gibson, Andrew Bolce, A. Bearder, and Wm. Whittaker, were suffocated.

A Quebec despatch says: "Never before has there been such an exodus to the States as this year. Within the last few days 1,000 men have left for the brick fields of Massachusetts and New England.

The town of Depere, Wis,, was visited by a disastrous fire on Saturday evening. The Meison Winkle wooden ware factory was burned, and the wind caused the flames to spread, twenty dwellings being destroyed with their contents. The fire engines were also caught in the flames and destroyed, the firemen having to run for their lives. The loss will exceed $200,000.

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ENTERTAINMENT AT DUNCAN'S.

The annual Easter tea and entertainment was held in the Agricultural Hall at Duncan Station on Monday evening. The room was most tastefully decorated, and great praise is due to Mr. McKay for the manner in which the arrangements were carried out. The tables, which were presided over by different ladies, would have satisfied the eye of any epicure. After the tea several speeches were made, when the following programme was gone through: Scotch song, Mrs. Maitland-Dougall; song, "The Village Blacksmith," Mr. Harrison; reading, "Lost in the Snow," Rev. A. Leakey; song, Mrs. Sutton; guitar accompaniment, Miss Alexander; reading, "The Bashful Man," Miss Barren; song, "Should He Upbraid," Mrs. Leather; reading, Mr. Pilkington; song, "Father O'Flynn," Mr. F. Leather; song, "I Rise from Dreams of Thee," Mrs. Maitland-Dougall; song, "The Englishman," Mr. Pimbury; reading, Mr. Pilkington; song, "Three Jovial Huntsmen," Mr. F. Leather; song, Mrs. Sutton; God Save the Queen.

Nearly every piece was encored, Mrs. Maitland-Dougall, Mr. and Mrs. Leather and Mrs Sutton being called for again and again. Mr. Pilkington's readings were especially good, as frequent bursts of laughter from his audience attested. After the concert, the room was rapidly cleared, and dancing commenced, which was kept up unuil an early hour. It is a pity though the committee did not see their way to providing programmes.

St. Peter's church decorations on Sunday were very pretty, and reflected great praise on all concerned. Notwithstanding the heavy rain, which hardly stopped all day, there was a very large congregation.—Com.

The House of Commons

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ANGELA COLLEGE
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BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR young ladies, will re-open after the Easter Vacation, on Thursday, April 25th.
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NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend making application to the Honorable, the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from a tract of land situated on Valdez Island, described as follows: Commencing at a post planted in a bay one mile north of Row Point; thence north 40 chains; thence west 60; thence north 60; thence east 100; thence south 120; thence west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 1,000 acres, more or less.
JOSEPH LITTLE.
Nanaimo, April 19th, 1889.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY Fred. G. Walker, Solicitor, Langley Street, Victoria, and H. E. Crossdaile, Real Estate Agent, Fort Street, Victoria, up to and including Saturday the 27th day of April, 1889, for the purchase of:—

1. Lots 223 and 283, Township 9, Group 1, New Westminster District, containing 297 acres, more or less, except those portions thereof conveyed for Railway purposes.

2. The South-East Fractional Quarter Section of section 34, Township 3, Group 2, New Westminster District, containing 150 acres, more or less, with improvements.

By order of the Mortgagee.
FREDERICK G. WALKER,
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Langley Street, Victoria, B.C. ap-12

The Perry Creek Gold Mining Co'y,
(LIMITED LIABILITY.)

March Assessment, Due April 16, 1889.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at a meeting of the Trustees of said Company, an assessment of Five (5) cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable on or before the 16th of April, 1889, to the Secretary of the company, at the company's office, Victoria, B. C. Any stock upon which said assessments shall remain unpaid on the 27th of April, 1889, shall be deemed delinquent and will be duly advertised for sale at Public Auction, and unless payment shall be made before will be sold on the 9th of May, 1889, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.
HENRY JACOBY,
The Company's Office, Secretary
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NOTICES.



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—IN—
New Westminster City

I have been instructed by the Surveyor-General, W. S. Gore, Esq., to sell by Public Auction, at the COLONIAL HOTEL, New Westminster, on

Saturday, 27th April,

The following very eligible New Westminster City Property (the area of which is about 20 acres, more or less, or 100 City lots.)

Lot 23, Blk. 36, (Situate between Queen's Ave. and Dock Square.
Lot 15, Blk. IX., (Situate between Pelham street and Queen's Ave.
Lot 16, Blk. IX., (Situate betw. Montreal and Pelham streets.
Lots 17 & 18, Blk. IX., as a Gov't Reserve.

The above property will be found worthy the attention of those interested in Mill-sites, Shipyards, Manufacturing Industries, and Capitalists generally. It being conceded by all far-seeing men that there does not exist a safer and better field for investment than that offered by New Westminster City, the fresh water Terminus of the C. P. R. road, and upon the completion of the New Westminster Southern R. R. will be the British Columbia Terminus of the American System of Railroads, and the only city connected by Railway with American Territory; and with the immense advantages offered by the main artery of the country—the mighty Fraser River—it does not require a prophet to foretell that in the near future New Westminster *must* become the *London* of British Columbia.

Remember, there has been no boom in New Westminster; hence no fictitious values have been arrived at.

The Sale will commence at 7 o'clock Saturday evening.

Terms at Sale, which will be very liberal.

T. J. TRAPP,
ap18 Auctioneer.



TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1889.

SPRING ASSIZES.
[On Vancouver Island.]
Victoria.....Monday ....20th May.
Nanaimo.....Tuesday ....4th June.
[On Mainland.]
New Westminster..Wednesday.1st May.
Kamloops.....Monday ....3rd June.
Clinton.....Monday....10th June.

FALL ASSIZES.
[On Mainland.]
Richfield.....Monday ....9th Sept.
Clinton.....Wednesday.25th Sept.
Kamloops.....Monday ....7th Oct.
Lytton.....Monday ....14th Oct.
New Westminster..Wednesday.13th Nov.
[On Vancouver Island.]
Victoria.....Monday ....25th Nov.
Nanaimo.....Tuesday ....3rd Dec.
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Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS
WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE HON. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to noon of Wednesday, 24th instant, for the construction of a Fence on the west side of the Government Grounds, James Bay, and other work.

Plans and specifications may be seen and forms for tender obtained at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-Gen'l.
Lands and Works Dep't,
Victoria, B.C., 13th April, 1889. ap14



PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
18th April, 1889.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following Rules of Court:—

1. There shall be a vacation in the Supreme Court from Friday the 19th day of April, 1889, to Tuesday the 23rd day of April, 1889, both days inclusive, during which vacation no pleading shall be delivered or cause tried.

2. Nothing in these rules shall interfere with the trial of causes triable elsewhere than at Victoria.

3. These Rules may be cited as the "Easter Vacation Rules, 1889."

By Command,
JNO. ROBSON,
ap19-td Provincial Secretary.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
Re ELWYN, Deceased.

PURSUANT TO A DECREE OF THE Supreme Court of British Columbia, made in the matter of the Estate of Thomas Elwyn, deceased, and in a cause of W. & J. Wilson and C. E. Renfern, on behalf of themselves and all other the creditors of the said Thomas Elwyn against Hamilton Moffatt. The creditors of the said Thomas Elwyn, late of the City of Victoria, who died on or about the 11th day of September, A. D. 1888, are, on or before the eleventh day of July, 1889, to come in and prove their claims at the office of the Registrar of the said Court, in the Court House, Bastion square, Victoria, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree. Thursday, the 18th day of July, 1889, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon at the said office, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.

Dated this 4th day of April, A. D. 1889.
JAMES C. PREVOST,
ap6-3m-dw Registrar.

RAILWAYS.

Esquimalt & Nanaimo R'y

TIME TABLE No. 10,

To take effect at 8.20 a.m. on Saturday, March 30, 1889. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

GOING SOUTH. READ UP.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Saturdays & Sundays.	No. 5. Passenger Saturdays only.	STATIONS.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Saturdays & Sundays.	No. 6 Passenger Saturdays only.	GOING NORTH. READ DOWN.
	P.M.		P.M.		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	
	Ar 1.00	Ar 7.00	Ar 3.16	VICTORIA	De 8.30	De 3.32	De 10.30	
	" 1.00	" 6.40	" 3.16	RUSSELLS	" 8.24	" 3.26	" 10.24	
	" 12.50	" 6.40	" 3.16	VIEW	" 8.24	" 3.26	" 10.24	
	" 12.23	" 6.21	" 3.16	ESQUIMALT	" 8.34	" 3.46	" 10.34	
	" 11.28	" 5.36	" 3.16	GOLDSTREAM	" 9.01	" 4.11	" 11.01	
	" 11.10	" 5.16	" 3.16	SHAWNIGAN LE	" 9.56	" 5.06	" 11.56	
	" 10.47	" 4.51	" 3.16	COBBLE HILL	" 10.25	" 5.33	" 12.25	
	" 10.42	" 4.46	" 3.16	KOKSILAH	" 10.37	" 5.41	" 12.37	
	" 10.32	" 4.36	" 3.16	DUNCAN'S	" 10.52	" 5.56	" 12.52	
	" 10.06	" 4.13	" 3.16	SOMENOS	" 11.18	" 6.18	" 1.18	
	De 9.01		De 3.01	CHEMAINUS	A 11.35	" 7.16	" 1.35	
	De 8.40		De 3.01	NANAIMO	De 12.30		P.M. De 12.30	
	A.M.		P.M.	WELLINGTON	Ar 10.45	Ar 7.31	Ar 10.45	

On Saturdays and Sundays

Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a single fare, good for return Monday.

Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare may be purchased daily to all points, good for three days, including day of issue.

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Tuesday.....7 a.m...Nanaimo to Comox.
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Thursday...7 a.m...Nanaimo to Comox.
Friday.....7 a.m...Comox to Nanaimo.
Saturday ...7 a.m...Nanaimo to Victoria.

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Lv Tacoma - 7:00 a.m	Lv Victoria - 6:00 a.m
Ar Seattle - 9:15 a.m	Ar Pt. Town'd 9:15 a.m
Lv Seattle - 9:45 a.m	Lv Pt. Town'd 10:00a.m
Ar Pt. Town'd 1:15 p.m	Ar Seattle - 1:30 p.m
Lv Pt. Town'd 2:00 p.m	Lv Seattle - 6:45 p.m
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Canadian Pacific NAVIGATION COMPANY, (Limited)

Time Table No. 11 Takes Effect March 23, 1889.

Vancouver Route:
Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 4 o'clock.
Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 11:30 o'clock, or on arrival of C. P. R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:
LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's, and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock, Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2, going east Monday.
For Plumper Pass—Wednesday and Friday, at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby Island—Friday at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 14:30 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass—Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Fraser River Route:
Steamers leave New Westminster for Hope and Way Landings every Wednesday.
For CHILLIWHACK and Way Landings every Monday and Saturday at 7 o'clock, during river navigation.

Northern Route:
Steamship SARDONYX will leave for Port Simpson and intermediate ports on the FIRST and FIFTEENTH of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route:
Steamer MAUDE leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports when sufficient inducements offer.
The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table without notification. Steamers leave by standard time.
JOHN IRVING, Manager.
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent,
March 21st jy25

NOTICES.

"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

Lot No. 1, Group 1, Cowgitz Cove
Skidegate Straits, Queen Charlotte Island.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE Title to the above mentioned Lot will be issued to Alfred John Langley and William Parsons Sayward, on the 26th day of April, 1889, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said lot, or some part thereof.
CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 23rd January, 1889. jan23-3mo

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the business of vegetable gardening, under the name TING LEE, and of the store under the same name, No. 35 Fisgard street, hitherto equally owned by four brothers, is now owned by the three elder brothers only, by whom the youngest brother's share in said business has been bought. Whatever liabilities this youngest brother, whose name is Sung Ying, may hereafter incur, whether in his own name or that of said business, shall not be assumed or acknowledged by the other three brothers who are now carrying on the said business still under the name Ting Lee.
HIN LEE.
Victoria, B. C., April 13, 1889. ap14-1w

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Henry Croft and William Angus, under the firm name of "Croft & Angus," in British Columbia, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.

All persons having any claims against the said firm of Croft & Angus are requested to send particulars thereof to Messrs. Davie and Pooley, of Langley street, Victoria, who are authorized to pay the same, and to collect the moneys due to the said firm. Every person owing money to the said firm is requested to pay the same to Messrs. Davie and Pooley.

As witness our hands this 30th day of March, 1889.
HENRY CROFT.
WM. ANGUS.
Witness: A. P. LUXTON. Apl 1-1m-dw

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT thirty days after date I intend making application to the Honourable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from a tract of land situated on Hannah Channel, described as follows: commencing at a stake on White Beach Point; thence south 80 chains; thence east 140; thence north 80; thence west 60; thence following sea shore to point of commencement; containing 1000 acres more or less.
HUGH G. ASHBY.
Victoria, April 8th, 1889. ap11-1mo

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The Colonist.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24, 1889.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str. Olympian, from Puget Sound.—L D Sivyer, J H McMillan, Chas Dormer, W Ballintyre, J M Watson, S Green & wife, G W Manning, Mrs McMillan, son & dau, J S Herley, Geo Van Dyne, M McMillan, H M R Dunne and wife, W H Cary, A Johnson, S Smith, E D Lerper, Ed Nash, A Baxter, S Johns, G C Craig and wife, S H Craig, C M Hayes, F W Southworth, F J Earle, W Allen, P Bennett, M Bennett, J Lightner, G W R Pettybone, H L Lewis, J W Gillespie, G J Shever, Col R J Stevens, A Keist, L L Abbott, Mrs Thompson, G Rolfo, M Madden, O Emanuel, J G Swan, J Brown, D E Spaulding, J C Taylor, Edith Jones, W Ohliger, M Adler, T Ryan & wife, F Slachter, A Hekking, A Ryan, Wong Quin, Chin Soon.

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Per Str. Olympian from Puget Sound.—Lenz & Leiser, Turner Beeton & Co, J C Crawford, D A Ross & Co, T N Hibben & Co, M W Waitt, E B Marvin, Langley & Co, A B Blanner, S J Pitts, E Quesnelle, P Porter, L Goodacre, Welch Rithet & Co, Fell & Co, J Parker, T Lubbe.

BIRTH.

Croasdaile.—On 23rd April, at Victoria, B. C., the wife of H. E. Croasdaile, Lieut. R. N., of a daughter.

DIED.

In this city, on the 22nd instant, of bronchitis, Alexander Norman McLeod Nicolson, a native of the Isle of Skye, aged 64 years.

The funeral will take place TO-DAY (Wednesday) at 9:30 a. m., from St. Joseph's Hospital, and at ten o'clock from the Catholic Cathedral, View street. Friends are invited to attend.

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"VENUS."

The "En Tout Cas" of the season, forming by a simple contrivance *two shapes in one*. At The Westside. See them.

Our Vancouver Correspondent.

From Esquimalt, B. C., Mrs. Cameron writes that being very much troubled with dyspepsia she tried two bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters, which gave great relief, and hopes that others may be induced to try it also and receive like benefits. swf

Ice Cream and Ice Cream Sodas

Every day at the Chicago Candy Factory. Parties and Picnics supplied at short notice. 46 Government street. *ap9-6mo

Persons wishing to improve their memories or strengthen their power of attention should send to Prof. Loisette, 237 Fifth Ave., N. Y., for his prospectus post free, as advertised in another column.

Parties requiring Furniture of the latest designs in either English or American styles, will find it to their advantage to call on J. Sehl, 68 Government street. He has facilities for manufacturing superior to any other establishment in the province. Hard wood mantels, overmantels, office and bar fittings made to order.

Spring Goods just arrived at London Boot & Shoe Store, Douglas street.

Launches.

Marine and other work made and repaired at Victoria Machinery Depot.—Spratt & Gray, Rock Bay.

"Better Out of the World

Than out of the fashion." Have your visiting cards printed from copperplate at The Colonist office.

For Five Years.

For over five years we have used Hagyard's Yellow Oil in our family for coughs, colds, burns and sore throat, and our experience is so satisfactory that we would recommend the medicine to any person." Mrs. F. Sanderson, Bosworth, Ont. swf

New Goods at Albion House.

We have just received and offer for sale: Ladies' beaded and lace visites, dolmans, and mantles, in all the newest materials; novelties in parasols and sunshades, boys' and girls' straw hats, new prints, embroideries, braid and beaded trimmings in sets, scrim and lace curtains, etc. An inspection invited. Brown & White, 61 Government street.

Annexation, reciprocity, commercial union, and the Jesuit bill are bothering Canadians a good deal more than anything we know of. But as long as business keeps increasing with us in the way it has this last year, we will remain right here and be happy. Hastie and Lockhart have the finest bedroom suites and sideboards for the least money ever exhibited in Victoria.

Fresh Oysters at the New England Bakery, Restaurant, Confectionery and Oyster Saloon, Nos. 116 and 118 Government street. Delivered to all parts of the city. Telephone No. 161.

The highest cash prices paid for ladies and gent's new and cast-off clothing. Note: Address S. Cooness, second door from Broad street, on Johnson.

LADIES.

To-day you are respectfully invited to inspect the Latest Novelties in Millinery for the Season. This department on the first floor is in charge of Mrs. Hall, (nee Miss Beegan), who will be pleased to see all her old friends and as many new ones as will favor her with a call.

LANSDOWNE HOUSE,
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The Sultan Court-Martial.

The finding of the Sultan court-martial is a surprise to the public. Captain Rice is adjudged innocent of negligence, but guilty of default—a curiously nice distinction for sea lawyers. He ran his ship upon an unknown rock, not marked on the Admiralty chart. This, in the opinion of the court, constituted an error of judgment, for which Captain Rice is reprimanded and practically ruined. He had, however, stranded another ship seven years ago, and the naval wits have now christened him "Ground Rice."

Easter Choral Society.

Seldom has a grander musical service been heard in Victoria than that given last evening in St. John's church, the seating capacity of which was fully taxed to accommodate the large number of lovers of good music who were in attendance. The church looked charming in the floral decorations which remained in position since Easter Sunday. The programme of the service, as published yesterday, was faithfully carried out, the combined choir rendering the several anthems with grand power and beautiful effect.

DOES IT PAY?

Three-fourths of our people are troubled with Dyspepsia or Liver Complaint in some form or other, which by nature of the disease has a depressing influence on the mind or body, preventing them from thinking or acting clearly in any matter of importance. Indigestion, coming up of food after eating, dyspepsia, sick headache, acidity of the stomach or any derangement of the stomach or liver (upon which the whole action of our system depends) are speedily and effectually overcome by the use of Green's August Flower. The most stubborn cases have yielded to its influence, as thousands of letters received will testify. The immense sale of this medicine is another guarantee of its merits (over a million and a half bottles sold last year). So we ask, will it pay you to suffer from any of the above diseases when you can have immediate relief in the August Flower. Three doses will prove its worth. It is sold by all druggists and general dealers in all parts of the world.

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Electric Railways.

Topeka, Kansas, has the largest electric railway in the world. It is 16½ miles in length and the cars run at the rate of ten miles an hour. Each car makes 84 miles daily.

The Nanaimo "Courier."

The Nanaimo Morning Courier appeared yesterday morning in a complete new dress and in an enlarged form, presenting an appearance alike creditable to its managers and the people of Nanaimo, who have now a morning newspaper of which they may well feel proud. The Courier is evidently meeting with the success it deserves.

The Dangerous Electric Wire.

At Seattle, on Saturday morning, one of the electric wires broke, and several feet of it fell down upon the sidewalk. An Italian laborer who happened to be passing, became entangled in the wire and received a violent electric shock, and it was some hours before he fully recovered. Several people who ran to his assistance and came in contact with the hanging wire, received shocks.

An Easter Storm.

The rainfall which visited Victoria on Sunday was but the tail end of a storm which prevailed on the Sound. At Seattle the rain was mixed with hail, accompanied by a high wind. No serious damage resulted, but much dirt and sand was washed into lots being graded, and traffic was suspended on the cable line owing to the track being completely covered with sand.

Miller Bros. Great Panorama.

The grand panorama of Miller Bros., which was presented at The Victoria with such success on the afternoon of the 13th, will again be presented on Saturday next. Next week the panorama will be taken to Westminster, Vancouver, and Nanaimo, affording the people of these cities a treat they will be sure to appreciate. The panorama should be witnessed by everyone—young and old.

Police Notes.

In the city police court yesterday Ah Gee and W. G. Sum were further remanded. Pong Yung, charged with an infraction of the health by-law, will be heard to-day. An assessment of $5 was levied on Theo. Hunter for destroying property. An Indian paid $5 for the privilege of being drunk. Theo. Flardo, charged with assault with intent to rob, was committed for trial. Wm. Smith was fined $5 for disturbing the peace.

The Flagship Band.

The several selections played by the Swiftsure band at the corner stone ceremony yesterday were rendered in a delightful manner. That from the "Bohemian Girl" was particularly good, and well worth the tramp to the hospital grounds to listen to. It is to be hoped that some arrangement may be made whereby Victorians will have the pleasure of listening frequently to the music played by the flagship band. They are undoubtedly the finest combination of band musicians that have ever visited this city.

The Ross-McLaren Lumber Mills.

Mr. J. N. Kendall, of the McLaren-Ross Lumber Co., Ottawa, arrived in the city a few days ago, having come under instructions from the company to erect a sawmill on the Fraser River. He will purchase a portable sawmill immediately, for the purpose of cutting the building material on the ground, and will commence operations at the earliest possible date. On the completion of the Fraser River mill Mr. Kendall will build another mill at some convenient point on Vancouver Island. —Columbian.

Accident to the North Pacific.

The steamer North Pacific, just as she was leaving the wharf for Port Townsend yesterday morning, broke her crank pin. The work of repairing was at once commenced but the steamer was detained in consequence of the accident. The steamer Olympian, as soon as possible after her arrival last evening, left again for Port Townsend with the passengers, mails and freight of the North Pacific. The Olympian returns this evening at the usual hour, and it is expected the North Pacific will be ready for service by Thursday morning.

Perry Creek.

Last night's mail from Kootenay brought favorable advices from the Perry Creek gold mine, which during last month yielded $1,557. The canyon in the ancient river bed still continues. In one place it became so narrow that it had to be blasted to allow of the cars passing through, but it has opened out again considerably and is now eleven feet wide at the face of the tunnel. The bed rock and rim rock are, as yet, quite smooth. The quality of the gold taken out is the same as that taken out last month. Mr. Dow reports very good looking ground ahead, promising a fair yield for next month.

Who Is Responsible?

Did it ever occur to the city officers that some little supervision should be exercised by them over contractors who obtain license to deposit building material upon the street? Once that permission is granted, the contractor is virtually "master of the situation," and apparently does what to him seems best, whether the street becomes impassable or no. As an illustration of this, a visit to Broughton street furnishes food for reflection, if nothing worse. To intensify public indignation, deep trenches are being dug across the footpath on Douglas street, unprotected and without lights at night, endangering life. Where is the City Inspector—or, rather, is there such an officer?

Big Real Estate Deal.

The largest transfer of property effected by any real estate firm in this province is that just completed by Mr. E. M. Johnson of this city. He has manipulated the sale of W. P. Sayward's mill property on Rock Bay, and his extensive timber limits on the northern coast for a total consideration of $265,000, the price for the mill property being stated as being $125,000. It is understood that the syndicate who have purchased the property is comprised of Victoria capitalists, and that the business will be carried on as at present. Mr. Johnson, on being questioned about it last evening, would not give particulars. However, he seemed particularly happy. He should be, as it is understood his commission in the transaction is about $15,000.

Mendelssohn Quintette Club.

This famous club will render the following programme at the concert to-night:

PART I.

Quintette in E flat. Allegro vivace. .... Mayseder
Aria from "La Clemenza de Tito," .. Mozart
Miss Alice Ryan.
Fantaisie Caracterestique for Violoncello .... Servais
Herr Anton Hekking.
Quartette in F, Op. 11 .... Tschaikowsky
Andante.

PART II.

Fantaisie for Clarinette on original themes .... Ryan
Mr. Thomas Ryan.
Fantaisie for Violin on themes from Faust .... Sarasate
Herr Wilhem Ohliger.
Pieces for Violincello, { a. Air .... Bach / b. Butterfly, Popper }
Herr Anton Hekking.
Gabriella Valse .... Marchesi
Miss Alice Ryan.
Finale—Gypsey Rondo, from a Piano Trio .... Haydn
Arranged for Quintette by Thos. Ryan.

Like Half a Dollar.

"About 8 years ago my feet and legs became poisoned, and came out in great sores as large as a half dollar which ate in almost to the bone. After the failure of other remedies, the sores were completely healed by one bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters." Joseph Gonyon, Tupperville, Ont. s-w-f

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of the province generally, will continue to strengthen the hands of the committee, and enable them to carry the good work through to completion.

I should not omit to refer to the great service rendered the committee by the medical profession of this city, who most kindly furnished Mr. Teague, the architect, with many valuable suggestions as to the best arrangement of hospital buildings. These were given full effect to in the plans and specifications, and it is confidently believed that the present building when completed will be a credit to the province and the most perfect institution of its kind on the Pacific coast.

Such, madam, is briefly the history of the undertaking honored this day by your distinguished presence and sympathy, an honor upon which the committee congratulate themselves and the subscribers with the livliest feelings of satisfaction and pride. They regret extremely that his honor the lieut.-governor should have been prevented by illness from accompanying you, and would assure you of their earnest desire for his honor's speedy and complete restoration to health.

Our congratulations, however, are considerably tinged with melancholy due to the recent loss of one who was a valued trustee of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital, and numbered amongst its warmest friends and supporters. I refer to the late Honorable Robert Dunsmuir. To say that we shall miss Mr. Dunsmuir is far from giving adequate expression to my personal feelings or, I am sure, those of my colleagues. We shall never cease to mourn his loss, and, at present, it is difficult to see how his place at our meetings can ever well be filled. Had he lived he would have been here to-day, and spoken a few words, but it has pleased an All Wise Providence to ordain otherwise. The memory of his encouraging advice, and ever ready help, will, however, long abide with the committee, and be a powerful incentive to future effort in the cause of suffering humanity.

It only remains for me, madam, to hand you this trowel, of which, on behalf of the committee, I beg your kind acceptance as a memento of the ceremony of to-day, and to request that you will proceed to confer upon the committee, and the other subscribers to the building fund, the distinguished honor of laying the corner stone of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital, and declaring the same well and truly laid.

In concluding, Mr. Smith stated that he had just received from Mrs. Dunsmuir a cheque for $500 towards the funds of the hospital. The announcement was received with an outburst of hearty and well-deserved applause.

MRS. NELSON'S REPLY.

Mrs. Nelson, upon receiving the trowel, replied briefly to the address of the President in the following words:—

Mr. President and gentlemen:—In accepting this beautiful trowel, which you have so kindly presented to me to lay the corner stone of the Royal Jubilee Hospital, I wish to express the Lieutenant-Governor's and my own sincere regrets that he is not able to be here in person to thank you for this honor you have conferred on me. I fear I cannot find words to adequately express how deeply we both appreciate it, and how sincerely we hope for the complete success of this noble work.

This building is being erected to commemorate the fiftieth year of Her Most Gracious Majesty's reign, and I hope it may stand for many years as a monument not only of British Columbia's loyalty to her beloved Queen, but also as a proof of the true charity of her people, and their Christian wish to aid and succour the sick and suffering.

I have heard with the greatest interest your description of the conception, development and carrying out of this good work, and I congratulate you, Mr. President, and your colleagues, most heartily, on the thoroughly successful issue of your patient and faithful labors.

The site you have shown such good judgment in choosing is very beautiful and most appropriate for the object for which it has been selected, and although I understand that, owing to its distance from town, it has not been approved of by all, still, I venture, to predict, that Victoria's growth will be such that this objection will very soon have ceased to exist.

It is with feelings of the sincerest sympathy that I express my sorrow at the loss that you, Mr. President, and your colleagues have sustained in the death of your most able coadjutor, the late Honorable Robert Dunsmuir. His loss is one that is generally felt throughout the land, and has cast a gloom over the whole Province.

I wish to thank you most sincerely for your kind expressions of regret at the absence of the Lieutenant-Governor, owing to his illness, and also for your kind wish for his speedy recovery. It gives me great pleasure to be able to tell you that he is much better, and I hope he will be completely restored to his former health in a few days.

In thanking you for the honor you have conferred on me, I wish to say that it will give me much pleasure to proceed to lay the corner stone of the Royal Jubilee Hospital and to declare the same well and truly laid.

THE CONTENTS OF THE CASE.

A copper cylinder containing the following articles, hermetically sealed, was next deposited in the cavity of the stone by Mr. Chudley, the energetic secretary:

One Jubilee sovereign. English, 50-cent Canadian piece, 25-cent Canadian piece, 10-cent Canadian piece, 5-cent Canadian piece, in a glass bottle.
List of the committee.
Map of the city.
Copy of President's address.
Programme of the ceremony.
Block plan of the building by the architect.
Copies of The Colonist, *The Standard* and *The Times*.

WELL AND TRULY LAID.

Before performing the last ceremony of laying the stone, Mrs. Nelson was presented by Mr. Chudley with a splendid bouquet of choice flowers. The intention was to have the presentation made by that gentleman's two-year-old son, but the little fellow became frightened at the sight of so many strange faces, and with the multitude of other duties, this pleasant one also devolved upon the hard worked secretary. Mr. Chudley was fully equal to the occasion, and the presentation was a very pleasant little incident of the day. The stone being lowered into its place, Mrs. Nelson gave it the required number of taps with the delicate trowel, and declared it "well and truly laid."

THE DEDICATION PRAYER.

After the stone had been laid Venerable Archdeacon Scriven offered the following prayer of dedication:

O Almighty and most Merciful Father, look down, we pray Thee, from Heaven, and bless the work to which we have this day set our hands. Take under Thy protection the house which we are about to build to Thy glory and for the relief of our sick and afflicted brethren. Assist with Thy favor all who shall be engaged in the work of this hospital, that it may prove a lasting benefit to our city and to the province. Endue with skill the physicians who shall here minister to the sick; and bless the remedies which they shall use with abundant success. Bless also the nurses, that they may fulfil their duties faithfully and lovingly. And more especially do we pray Thee to behold, visit, and relieve all who shall be admitted here as patients. Give them comfort and sure confidence in Thee. Defend them from all danger, and keep them in perpetual peace and safety. We ask these mercies in the name of Him, who "Himself took our infirmities and bore our sicknesses," Thy Son, Jesus Christ, our most blessed Lord and Saviour. Amen.

The Lord's Prayer.
The Grace of Our Lord.

On the conclusion of the prayer, the band of H.M.S. Swiftsure favored the immense audience with a second choice selection, and the Hospital Hymn, "Thine Arm, Oh Lord," was sung by the chorus of children.

Mr. Justice Crease, one of the two surviving trustees of the old Royal Hospital, was called upon for a brief address, and after paying a short but eloquent tribute to the memory of the late Hon. Robt. Dunsmuir, he referred to the interest which he (Hon. Mr. Dunsmuir) had taken in the Jubilee Hospital and his desire to see the hospital completed and placed in the hands of an incorporated body. He (Mr. Justice Crease) congratulated the committee upon the partial completion of their work, which they had now gathered to celebrate by the laying of the corner stone.

Mayor Grant was next called on, and in an eloquent speech, commended the charity which led to the construction of the Jubilee Hospital. Charity he pronounced the most beautiful of all the heaven-born attributes which animates the human heart; the attribute which impels men to act with kindness to their less fortunate fellows, and to do what they can to ameliorate the condition of those less fortunate than themselves. It was the possession of this greatest of all the graces that led to the establishment of the great hospitals in Paris, the oldest in Europe, and the ones that received the benefaction of many successive sovereigns of France. In France the maintenance of the hospitals was met entirely by the government; in this country it was different, the government contributing a portion of the necessary funds, and the people, by voluntary contribution, the remainder. He knew of no country where more feeling was shown for the sick or unfortunate than in British Columbia, or where better provision was made for their comfort. (Cheers.) He urged upon all who could to contribute their mite, if they could do no more, and expressed himself as satisfied that the city council, now that they were enabled to do so by recent legislation, would devote as large a sum as possible toward the completion and maintenance of the Jubilee Hospital. He congratulated the various committees on the success of their work. Few knew of the apparently unsurmountable difficulties which had been overcome by the executive committee. Few knew of the immense amount of work that had been done by the one man, deserving of the greatest praise of all, the enthusiastic, indomitable presistent and capable secretary, Mr. Chudley. (Cheers). Never before had he ever known of any-one who so devoted himself to any work of charity as had Mr. Chudley. (Applause). Of his (Mr. Chudley's) labor, only those of the committee, who knew what the public really owed to him, could form a true idea. The success of the Jubilee Hospital project was due in no small measure to him and to his work. (Applause). The Jubilee Hospital, which he hoped soon to see complete, Mr. Grant, in closing, said would remain an enduring monument not only to the charity of the people of British Columbia, but of the love and esteem which they will ever feel for Her Most Gracious Majesty, the Queen.

The ceremonies of the day were then brought to a close by the singing of God Save the Queen (jubilee version); the solo being rendered by British Columbia's most popular vocalist, Mrs. Schwenger, with chorus by the children and the band.

NOTES BY THE WAY.

The silver trowel which was used in the ceremony yesterday was manufactured by Messrs. Pennock & Clayton.

Donations to the amount of $63.50 were received yesterday, in addition to the $500 cheque sent by Mrs. Dunsmuir.

Splendid order was preserved yesterday throughout the entire ceremony, the services of the city and provincial police forces greatly facilitating the carrying out of all the perfect arrangements according to the very letter.

Among the distinguished guests who witnessed the laying of the stone yesterday were Capt. Hammett, Flag Lieut. Thynne, Engineer Brown, Lieut. Leah, Staff Surgeon Lightfoot, Lieut. Horver, Midshipmen Edwards and Travers, of H. M. S. Swiftsure, Commander Amesley and Lieuts. Courage and Hay, of H. M. S. Icarus, and Commander Clarke, Lieut. Pritchard and Watson, of H. M. S. Espiegle.

LITTLE LOCALS.

J. P. Davies & Co. will sell to-day, at salesroom, window glass, wall paper, cigars, liquors, ales, etc.

The steamer Evangel went ashore at Dungeness on Saturday night. She had not been floated at latest accounts.

Johnson street sewer will again come up for discussion at the meeting of the city council to be held to-night.

A tame deer was captured on Cormorant street yesterday afternoon. The owner of the pet has not yet put in an appearance.

When passing, take a look at our show case.—Hall & Lowe, Gov't st.

The 2nd, 3rd and 4th of October next have been fixed as the dates for the annual provincial exhibition at Westminster.

The Victoria and Port Angeles land syndicate have chartered the steamer Maude for a trip to Port Angeles on Saturday week.

Rev. Mr. Crosby brough an Ontario rural congregation to tears with his vivid description of missionary work among the Indians. But the collection plate only netted $1.40.

John J. Rogers, who was recently sentenced to three years' imprisonment for burglarizing the R. C. pro-cathedral, was taken to Westminster this morning by Deputy Sheriff Langley.

H.M.S. Espiegle is expected to leave Esquimalt for the Sandwich Islands on Saturday, where she will relieve the Cormorant, which returns to England.

The funeral of the late Mr. Alexander Norman McLeod Nicholson takes place at 9:30 this morning from St. Joseph's Hospital and at 10 o'clock from St. Andrew's cathedral.

A journeyman tailor named W. Peder, aged 30, died suddenly at Vancouver yesterday. He had been drinking heavily on Monday night, and at 3 o'clock yesterday he was found dead in bed.

On Saturday last a tree, measuring nine feet in diameter and over 100 feet in height, was removed from the park reserve at Westminster by a 50-pound box of powder exploded beneath the roots. The tree was estimated to weigh over 100 tons, but the force of the explosive tore it up from the ground several feet in the air, when it fell with a mighty crash.

The ladies of the Refuge Home committee desire to thank Mesdames Spencer, Gregg and Grant, and Mr. Fawcett for the following donations: Curtains, sheets, mattress, bedstead, extension table, kitchen table and carpet. The home is now prepared to receive contributions of any kind. Furniture or furnishings will be very acceptable.

The Nanaimo boating accident, fortunately, did not result in loss of life, as at first reported. When the four young men who occupied the boat got as far as Newcastle Island, the water being rough, two landed and the other two started to return to the city. The boat upset, and the occupants were rescued just in time to save them from drowning. The other two being missed, gave rise to the rumor that they had been drowned.

PERSONAL.

B. E. Bredon, wife and child, of Hong Kong, are at the Driard.

C. T. Gabler, of Montreal, has returned from a trip to Southern California.

MARINE.

Steamship Mexico sails for San Francisco at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

Steamship San Mateo, with a cargo of Wellington coal, sailed from Departure Bay for San Francisco yesterday.

Higgins—Helmcken.

Never before in its history has the pretty little Reformed Episcopal Church held so large a crowd as that which filled every seat, and monopolized every inch of standing room, last evening, when Mr. W. R. Higgins, of the real estate firm of Bourchier & Higgins, was united in marriage to Miss Edith Louise, youngest daughter of Hon. J. S. Helmcken, M.D. The contracting parties are both well known and highly esteemed by almost every resident of Victoria. Promptly at eight o'clock the bridal party entered the church, the bride leaning upon her father's arm, and supported by her two bridesmaids, Miss Higgins and Miss Bushby. The groom was accompanied by but one groomsman, Capt. W. Smallfield. The bride was dressed in pearl white satin, trimmed with white crepe, and orange blossoms; and carried a magnificent bouquet of lilies-of-the-valley, the gift of her brother-in-law, Mr. G. A. McTavish, Miss Higgins wore pale blue and white India silk, trimmed with gold lace, and a tulle bonnet adorned with pink roses. She carried a bouquet of white lilacs. Miss Bushby was dressed in white crepe, and wore a red silk tulle bonnet trimmed with red roses. She carried a bouquet of white clematis. The ceremony was performed by Right Rev. Bishop Cridge, assisted by Rev. John Reid, D.D.; the bride being given away by her father, Hon. J. S. Helmcken; and Mrs. Leach presiding at the Organ. On the conclusion of the ceremony, the bridal party adjourned to the residence of the bride's father, where a wedding dinner was partaken of prior to the departure of the young couple on their honeymoon, which will be spent at Harrison Hot Springs. The Colonist joins with their hosts of friends in wishing Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Higgins happiness unalloyed on their journey through life together.

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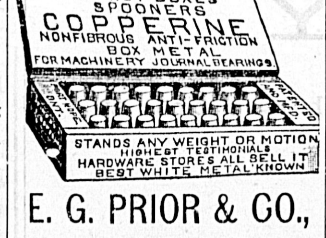


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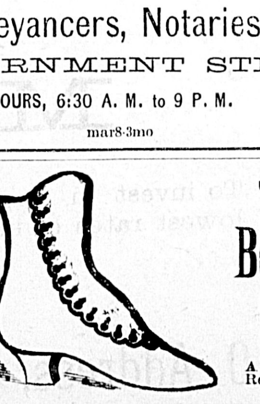
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